## **Texas Health Insurance Pool Board of Directors**

**Purpose:** To provide for fair, reasonable, and equitable administration of the Pool. The THIP provides access to quality health care to residents who, due to medical conditions, are unable to obtain coverage from individual commercial insurers.

Name	Member Type	Term Expires	Board Position	Employer
Richard C. Ott	Industry Representative	09/01/17	Vice-Chair	Rick Ott & Co. (Agency Owner)
Patricia McCandless	Industry Representative	09/01/15		Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Marinan Renz Williams	Industry Representative	09/01/17		Scott & White Health Plan
David "Greg" Barbutti	Insured Representative	09/01/19	Secretary/Treasurer	Retired
Vacant	Insured Representative			
Maureen Ann Milligan	Public	09/01/15		President/CEO of Teaching Hospitals of Texas, Austin,Tx Notified - Retired from State Employment on 1/02/13
Gary C. Cole	Public	09/01/15	Chair	Retired
Robert H. Emmick, Jr., MD	Public	09/01/17		Tx Tech Univ, Dept of Emerg. Medicines El Paso
Victoria Ann Aguilar Paparelli	Public	09/01/19		Cardiovascular Consultants, San Antonio, TX

In accord with Insurance Code Sections 1506.051 through 1506.058 requires, the board shall consist of nine members:

- 1. two, but not more than four, members affiliated with an insurer admitted and authorized to write health insurance in this state;
- 2. two persons who are insureds or parents of insureds or who are reasonably expected to qualify for coverage by the pool; and
- 3. the remaining members of the board consist of individuals such as a physician licensed to practice in this state by the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners, a hospital administrator, an advanced nurse practitioner, or a representative of the general public.

**Terms**: Members serve six year staggered terms.